East Stroudsburg Area Senior High School – North

The Fourteenth Commencement

Friday, June the Thirteenth
Two Thousand and Fourteen
Five o'clock

Mountain Laurel Pocono Mountains Performing Arts Center
Bushkill, Pennsylvania

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Dear Class of 2014,

Congratulations upon your graduation from East Stroudsburg Area High School – North. What an exciting time as you begin a new phase in your adventure! It is important to remember that academic achievement and future successes are based on how well you navigate your life. Lean on the foundations of your high school experiences and your parental support to help chart your course for success. You are in control of your own destiny and it is up to you to wisely choose the path leading to the fulfillment of your dreams. On behalf of the Board of Education and the East Stroudsburg Area School District, I congratulate each of you and wish you good health and happiness in the years ahead.

Sincerely,

Sharon S. Laverdure
Superintendent

Dear Class of 2014,

The closing of each school year always prompts us to reflect on the year; our up's and down's, our successes and challenges, our happy moments and our fears. This year is no different, yet regardless of the reflection, you all need to know that you did it together.

Walking our hallways, visiting classrooms, attending events, I am reminded each and every day what a blessing each of you are and how each of you uniquely contribute to our North HS school community. This reflection is what represents the character, integrity, and responsibility you will travel forward with from North HS. It is of no mistake that you have accomplished many of your successes with the support and encouragement of your family, friends, staff and one another. Please ensure that a special thanks of gratitude and appreciation is extended.

As you journey from our halls, I only pray that you continue to seek out opportunities that will challenge you, those that will allow your true values, morals, and character to be viewed and admired by those around you. Don't ever sell yourself short, and don't ever settle for less. Congratulations and best wishes for you, the Class of 2014.

Thoughts and prayers,

Stephen C. Zall
Principal

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Program

*Processional, *Pomp and Circumstance*.....Edward Elgar; arr. Clare Grundman

Introduction of Seniors singing *The Star-Spangled Banner*..... Jiana Saigh, Senior Class President

**The Star-Spangled Banner*.....Francis Scott Key

Performed by the Chorale Members

**Alma Mater*.....Anthony DeAngelis, ESHSN Class of 2002

Performed by the Chorale Members

*Moment of Silence.....Jiana Saigh, Senior Class President

Class Poem "If You Believe", Written by Joanna Fuchs..... Charli Miro, SGA President

Greeting.....Stephen C. Zall, Principal

Introduction of Salutatorian.....Jiana Saigh, Class President

Salutatory Address.....Jacob Rosalsky

Introduction of Valedictorian.....Jacob Rosalsky

Valedictory Address.....Leanne Wiskemann

Introduction of Concert Choir.....Karen Hernandez, Class Secretary

In My Life .....arranged by Steve Zegree

Words and Music by John Lennon and Paul McCartney

Performed by the Concert Choir and Featuring Senior Members

Introduction of the Superintendent.....Alyssa Bonilla, Class Treasurer

Remarks from the Superintendent.....Sharon Laverdure, Superintendent

Introduction of Assistant Principal.....Alyssa Bonilla, Class Treasurer

Awards and Scholarships.....Joseph Lalli, Asst. Principal

Introduction of ESASD Board Vice President.....Karen Hernandez, Class Secretary

Remarks from ESASD Board Vice President.....Robert Cooke, Board Vice President

Presentation of Diploma Candidates..... Stephen C. Zall, Principal

Please refrain from applause until all names have been read

Conferring of Diplomas.....Members of the Board of Education

Recessional: *A Joyful Journey* .....Robert Sheldon

The Audience is asked to remain seated until all graduates have exited

*** Please Stand**

Class of 2014 Awards and Scholarships

Albright College National Honor Society Award.....Alyssa Bonilla
Albright College Alumni Scholarship.....Alyssa Bonilla
Albright College Founders Scholarship.....Jiana Saigh
Albright College Presidential Scholarship.....Tiana Van Leuven
American Red Cross High School Scholarship.....LisaMarie Asaro, Marquis Maynard, Kayla Prevost & Zachary VanWinkle
Bushkill/Smithfield Lions Club Community Service Award.....Kiley Sileikis
Centenary College Achievement Scholarship.....Jared Andino
Columbia Italian-American Club Award.....Christine Ridriguez & Lucas Broussard
Delaware State University Platinum Scholarship.....Jaelon Talley
Diana Cangemi Memorial Scholarship.....Tiana Van Leuven
East Stroudsburg Achievers Scholarship.....Jaelon Talley & Ayanna Totten
East Stroudsburg Administration Scholarship.....Leah Miller
East Stroudsburg Education Association's Ruth Flory & Theodore Miller Scholarship.....Christopher Isolda, Jr.
East Stroudsburg Education Foundation Scholarship.....Christine Rodriguez
Elizabeth Dimmick Walters Memorial Scholarship.....Ayanna Totten
ESA Support Professionals Association Local 118 Scholarship in Honor of Brianna Bunyan .....Erica Cantalupo & Mary Slipe
Football Defensive Player of the Year - Highest GPA.....Jaelon Talley
Football Offensive Player of the Year – Highest GPA.....William Quiles
Gordon College Presidential Scholarship.....Leah Miller
Joseph Carmella Memorial Scholarship.....Jared Andino
Joseph J. DeVivo Memorial Scholarship.....Christopher Isalda, Jr.
Madyson Law Memorial Art Scholarship.....Jordan Couttien, & Carlee Haase
Margrit Roeckendorf Memorial Award.....Morgan Hoverkamp
Mattioli Scholarship.....Leanne Wiskemann
PA Elks Most Valuable Student Scholarship.....Leah Miller
Pepsi Bottling Company Scholarship.....Jiana Saigh
Pike County Council of Republican Women.....Qiana Baker
Pocono Ranchlands Community Scholarship.....Christopher Isolda, Jr. & Kaitlyn Riley
Resica Educational Assistance Scholarship.....Christine Rodriguez
Saw Creek Men's Club Scholarships.....Lucas Broussard & Jaelon Talley
Saw Creek Delores Danielson Memorial Scholarship.....Mark Nyman & Kaitlyn Riley
Ted Myers Woodworking Award.....Adam Haelsig
Troy Verway Memorial Scholarship.....William Quiles
Woodman of the World Award.....Ayanna Totten

The Class of 2014 respectively dedicates their 2014 Commencement Ceremony in the memory of Brianna Bunyan

The Class of 2014

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Logan H. Allbaugh
Justin G. Alleyne, Jr.
Gary A. Allwood
Jessica M. Almestica
Noir Z. Anderson
Jared C. Andino
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Kyle Ansback
Rachelle Antoine
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LisaMarie K. Asaro
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Michael Awuah
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Anthony P. Batson
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Davin J. Benfield
Josiah M. Bennett
Jordan S. Benoit
Nicole A. Berardi
Amanda R. Berry
Michael B. Bezpietka
Carlee M. Bird
Samantha M. Boller
Alyssa C. Bonilla*
Scott H. Brannigan
Lucas A. Broussard
Rasheed A. Brown
Sakeenah A. Brown
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Ryann D. Buitron
Madison L. Burke*
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Joseph S. Byers
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Donovan E. Cabrera
Marissa C. Cali
Kayson D. Calim
Eddy C. Camara
Jonathan Campaniello
Erica L. Cantalupo
Nathaniel Caraballo
Shaundre' C. Carruthers
Melanie A. Castiblanco
Melissa Cheong*
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Amanda L. Cole
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Joshua M. Davis
Nidir J. Davis
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Andrew DeMars
Daniel D. Demeyere
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Marliz Dume
Rayne O. Estes
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Susan Dunleavy

Alma Mater

Deep within the forest green
Nature's wonders hide.
Rays of sunlight can be seen
Reflecting our school pride.

Memories we hold fondly
Of years, here and gone.
Our future's bright horizon,
Our success is at its dawn.

Visions deep within our hearts
Make our spirits soar.
Oh, with you our honor starts
East Stroudsburg Area North.

Grand Marshal..... Casandra Dietz

The Grand Marshals lead the academic procession that includes Candidates for Diplomas, Faculty Members, Platform Participants, the Superintendent of Schools, and the President of the School Board.

Honor Medallions

At today's commencement exercises, medallions affixed to ribbons distinguish the Valedictorian and Salutatorian graduates.

National Honor Society

The purpose of the National Honor Society is to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in the students of secondary schools. To be eligible for membership, students must have a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.5. Additionally, potential members must meet high standards of leadership, service, and character. Leadership is based on the student's participation in two or more community or school activities, or election to an office. To meet the service requirement, the student must have been active in three or more service projects in the school and community. Character is measured in terms of integrity, behavior, ethics, and cooperation with students and faculty. Membership is an honor bestowed upon a student, and once selected, members have the responsibility to uphold the standards of the organization. At today's commencement exercises, gold cords distinguish the National Honor Society members.

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